

The Fifth National Climate Assessment

Coasts Chapter

Public Engagement Workshop

Agenda | January 26, 2022 | 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

The links to the workshop will be emailed to those who have registered to attend.

Workshop Objectives

1. Provide an overview of the U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP) and the National Climate Assessment (NCA) development process, including other opportunities for public engagement
2. Allow members of the public and assessment authors an opportunity to discuss proposed key topics, identify priority issues relevant to the chapter, and share resources
3. Give NCA chapter authors an understanding of how workshop participants use assessments, and what could be done to make the NCA more useful for decision-making

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12:00 pm	10 mins	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Establishing ground rules and expectations• Introduce author team• Quick walk-thru of agenda	<i>Kris May (Chapter Lead), Mark Osler (Coordinating Lead Author)</i>
12:10 pm	10 mins	Introduction to USGCRP and NCA5	<i>Allison Crimmins (NCA5 Director)</i>

12:20 pm	20 mins	What's New for the Coasts? • What's New • Summary of the chapter and key topic areas • Introduce Padlet <i>Kris May</i>					
12:40 pm	20 mins	Update on Federal Sea Level Rise Projections <i>Chris Weaver, Billy Sweet, Patrick O'Brien (Chapter Authors)</i>					
1:00 pm	10 mins	Break <i>(Participants can continue to put notes on the Main room Padlet while Facilitators/Note takers get into their assigned Breakout rooms)</i>					
1:10 pm	5 mins	Concurrent Breakout Rooms • 3 breakout sessions (all 5 topic area rooms going concurrently) • Participants self-select for one room during each time • Authors/facilitators and padlet boards remain stationary <table><tr><td>1. Impacts are Already Happening</td></tr><tr><td>2. Compound Flooding / Multiple Flood Hazards</td></tr><tr><td>3. Natural and Built Ecosystems</td></tr><tr><td>4. Adaptation Success / Challenges / Barriers</td></tr><tr><td>5. Diversity, Equity and Environmental Justice</td></tr></table> <i>Renee Collini (Chapter Author)</i>	1. Impacts are Already Happening	2. Compound Flooding / Multiple Flood Hazards	3. Natural and Built Ecosystems	4. Adaptation Success / Challenges / Barriers	5. Diversity, Equity and Environmental Justice
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1:15 pm	30 mins	Breakout Session 1 <i>Participants enter breakout room of interest</i>					
1:45 pm	30 mins	Breakout Session 2 <i>Participants rotate into another topic room of interest</i>					

2:15 pm	30 mins	Breakout Session 3 <i>Participants rotate into another topic room of interest</i>
2:45 pm	15 mins	Break <i>(All rooms open for participants to browse and read comments placed on all Padlet boards, put "likes" on comments they agree with or support, and to add additional comments if needed)</i>
3:00 pm	30 mins	Wrap-up Discussion <i>Kris May and Lead Facilitator for Each Room</i>
3:30 pm	10 mins	Concluding Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upcoming opportunities to engage • Next steps for the assessment process <i>Mark Osler or Kris May</i>
3:40 pm	40 mins	Time for additional feedback in the Main room <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will host an open time at the end of the session (may go after 4 pm if needed) for participants to review boards from rooms they missed or to stay in the Main room with the entire author team for additional Q&A <i>All Authors</i>